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GERMANS RENEW ATTACK ON VERDUN



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BATTLE RENEWED WITH REDOUBLED INTENSITY

Great Verdun Offensive Renewed by Germans With Greater Fury Than Ever. Captured One Village, Prisoners and Guns. French Repulse a Number of Attacks With Heavy Loss to the Germans. White Star Liner Leaving New York Will Take On Guns at Gibraltar for Defense. No Activity Except in France.

(By Associated Press.)

London, March 3.—The German bombardment of Verdun has been taken up with redoubled intensity, according to both official and unofficial reports, indicating the Germans have succeeded in bringing larger guns to that region.

The French lines hold firm, according to the Paris official statement, and in some places it was said the Germans were driven back with heavy losses, although generally holding their advanced positions in the face of strenuous counter attacks.

The German attack has shifted to the north of Verdun, where they took the village of Douaumont.

The village of Vaux was attacked by the Germans unsuccessfully, ac-

cording to Paris.

There is intense bombardment against Coeuvres in the Woivre district, elsewhere there is little activity.

Berlin says a thousand prisoners and a number of heavy guns were taken when the Germans swept Douaumont village.

Will Arm at War Zone.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 3.—The White Star liner Canopus, sailing today for an Italian port with three Americans in the first cabin, will take on armament when she reaches Gibraltar, it was announced by the owners. The armament will be removed when the ship arrives at Gibraltar on the return.

QUEEN OF ROUMANIA IS DEAD

Known as Carmen Sylva by Pen Name and Was a Brilliant Woman.

(By Associated Press.)

London, March 3.—Queen Elizabeth of Roumania died early this morning.

The pen name, Carmen Sylva, by which the queen mother, Elizabeth, of Roumania was most widely known, was chosen by her in expression of her love for song and the woods. She was one of the most charming figures in the courts of Europe, and practically the only one of recent generations to gain fame as a poetess.

In her own words, she was born "far from a throne," for although she was a princess of Wied, one of the many tiny principalities with which Germany abounded, her youth was that of an ordinary robust country girl who learned to cook and sew and who romped in the open with her com-

panions at the village school. She was born Dec. 26, 1843, and in her childhood she showed predilection for the poetic fancies that had such an influence on her later life. She absorbed innumerable fairy stories and, with some of her own imagination added, she delighted her playmates with her fancies. At home she received Spartan training, and with a father who was an invalid for life and a brother who was incurably ill, she experienced many sorrows and hardships.

KILLS HIS WIFE SHOOTS HIMSELF

(By Associated Press.)

Kansas City, Mo., March 3.—When his wife returned home today to visit her 19-year-old son, who is seriously ill, James Todd, a painter, shot and killed her and then seriously wounded himself. The couple had been separated three weeks.

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CONGRESSMEN GRIP THEIR MILEAGE

Refuse to Relinquish Their Twenty Cents, Despite Shouts of Graft From Galleries.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 3.—Crowded galleries that gathered Thursday to hear the international situation discussed saw the house take its annual vote, this time 150 to 46, not to reduce members' mileage from 25c to 10c a mile. Representative Cox of Indiana offered the motion, and as usual its defeat was preceded by a lively debate, in which the 20c mileage was denounced as graft and defended as a just allowance.

RETURNED FROM DALLAS.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. T. Talley returned from Dallas on the evening train yesterday, where they had been to attend the launching of the "Win-One Campaign" by the Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico conferences. Rev. Talley reports a splendid attendance, much interest and some fine talks by leading men of the Methodist Church in Texas, and that his people are expecting great things this year.

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BRANDEIS FOUGHT MONEY INTERESTS

Petition of 1,000 Harvard Students Protested Action of President Lowell Against Brandeis.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 3.—Louis L. Brandeis was described Thursday by witnesses in his behalf in the senate investigation of his fitness to be a supreme court justice, as a public spirited man of high character, who had incurred the enmity of powerful financial interests by advocating movements to which those interests were opposed.

Three of those who appeared for Mr. Brandeis testified that he had been assailed only by men whose interests he had attacked. Others, without referring to Mr. Brandeis' opponents, said his reputation was high, both as to ability and character.

Francis Peabody of Milton, Mass., last of the character witnesses for those opposing confirmation of the nomination, said Mr. Brandeis' reputation was that he was not trustworthy and sailed under false colors.

Senator Walsh of the subcommittee, conducting the hearing, has received a petition signed by more than 1,000 Harvard students protesting against the action of President Lowell of Harvard in opposing Mr. Brandeis and urging favorable consideration of his nomination.

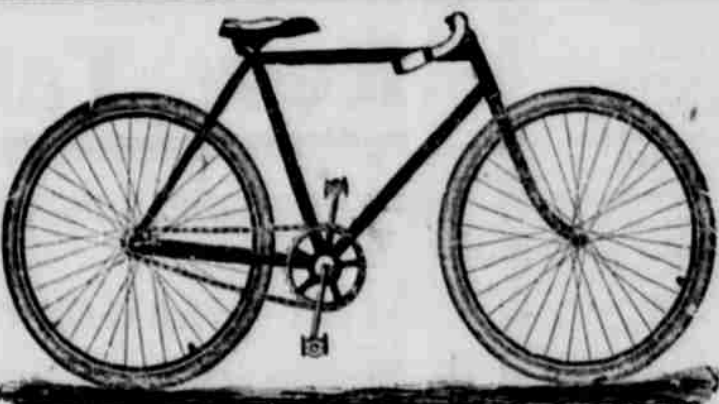
Joseph Walker, former speaker of the Massachusetts assembly, Mr. Creary A. Whittier of the American Free Trade League and Edward F. McEllan of the Brandeis law firm, were among those who testified for Mr. Brandeis.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY

(By Associated Press.)

Austin, Tex., March 3.—There were 5,730 births and 3,206 deaths in Texas during February, the vital statistics bureau announced today.

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ception of what life really is.

Lamar Bethea, our county attorney, who was the next speaker, talked on "Our Class and Our Town." Mr. Bethea said no man could help being a better man or a better citizen by belonging to some Sunday school class and listening to such men as Professor Allen. While he had a great struggle himself to keep from falling by the wayside, still if he were to give up the work entirely he did not know but what the result would be disastrous to him, in fact, he knew it. The church of the future will be lead by the Sunday school men of today, and it should be a warning to each one of us to so live that we may be able to make leaders of honor, integrity and character. Mr. Bethea was one of the charter members of the class, and received much applause at the close of his address.

Next on the program came the chicken supper, and it was a sure enough feast of fried chicken. Twenty-five fryers had been prepared. They were well cooked, and, with bread, pickles, saratoga chips and French drip coffee, made a most delectable feast, and it was soon realized that the boys were all Methodists, for they got away with the chicken very strong. The supper had been prepared under the supervision of Ed Martin, and he put much time in looking after it, and deserved the vote of thanks he received for his untiring work in making this feast such a success.

Supper over, Carter, the photographer, appeared and made a photo of the crowd.

After supper Dr. T. L. Kibler of A. and M. College took the floor and gave a resume, or rather the pedigree of the chicken from the time of ancient Rome on down to the present good hour. He spoke of the chicken from every viewpoint and his address was greeted with a great deal of laughter, and especially so was his reference to his own breed of chickens that sometimes lived on yeast cakes.

Chas. B. Hudson, that princely young man, a Bryan raised boy, was next on the program, speaking on our "Class and Young Men." While the talk was short it was to the point, and went straight to the hearts of

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